

GRADE 1 CLASS 4

Vanke Primary School
Pudong
October 14 - 18, 2019
Week 6 Curriculum
Week 4

What We Did This Week

English

- This week in English, we have been working very hard to revise what we have learned on nouns, proper nouns and adjectives as well as learning our new topic this week: verbs.
- The children were also learning how to use capital letters and full stops correctly. The children enjoy using their mini whiteboards and completing various worksheets and tasks to learn and reinforce this topic.
- The children also learned about the different parts of the plant and some of the new spelling words for curriculum weeks 4-6 are connected to this topic.
- The children are learning about 'Caring' in Character Development and created 'Happy Place' collages using old magazines.
- In Humanities, we have focused on the River Nile and its importance in Ancient Egypt.
- In Science, the children are exploring Light further, how we need light and how we can only see objects when they are illuminated.
- In Drama, the children have explored improvisation further with their Teddies!

What We'll Do Next Week

English

- The unit will focus on 'What I like' which will include work on adjectives or describing words, sentence structure as well as question and exclamation marks.
- Reading comprehension.
- We will also be reinforcing nouns and verbs as well as capital letters and full stops.

Humanities

- The children will learn about Ancient Egyptian housing as well as exploring the importance of the River Nile in greater detail.

Science

- The children will be setting up and carrying out a Science experiment that explore light further.

Reminders to Parents

1. Please be sure your children arrive at school by 7:50AM each morning. This will enable them to be properly prepared for their first Guided Reading lesson of each day.
2. Just for clarification, due to Book Week and other 'off curriculum' weeks or days, we will be addressing each week as 'Week 6 Curriculum Week 4' which means it is the sixth week of school and fourth week of the curriculum.
3. Also, please note that we are several lessons behind due to the enjoyable Field Trip so, we will be catching up on them over the coming week or two.